THE LAND LEAGUE TRIALS.

A GREAT CROWD PRESENT AT THE PENING OF COURT IN DUBLIN.

Chief Justice May Beelding Not to Take Part ief Justice May Deciding Not to Take Part in the Trials-A Jury Impounded After Two Hours of Contention-The Attorney-General Opening the Case for the State-The Rector of Bollinskill Fired at. DUBLIN, Dec. 28,-The State trials were

formally opened to-day in the Court of Queen's Bench. The court room was densely crowded with spectators. A great crowd of people around the approaches to the Four Courts loudly cheered the traversers upon their arrival. The Judges took their seats soon after 10 o'clock. The body of the court was occupied by counsel engaged in the trials, and other members of the bar. The principal gallery was filled with Irish members of Parliament, a few ladies, and a sprinkling of the general public. All the traversers were present, and answered to their names. Chief Justice May read with considerable composure the document deelaring that he should not take part in the present trial. It contained a vindication of his former speech. The announcement that he would not preside at the trials caused no mani-

station. After Chief Justice May had finished readin Justice Fitzgerald took the chief sent, and the trial proceeded before him and Justice Barry. The Attorney-General applied for a post nement of the trials until to-morrow because of the short attendance of jurors, only eighteen out of twenty-four having answered to their

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Mr. Macdonough, of counsel for the traversers, urged that it was usual to select a jury of twelve from those who answered to their names. Justice Fitzgerald agreed that the latter was the regular course. Three jurors were then excused on account of age and infimity, and Mr. Macdonough challenged another.

A legal argument of more than an hour ensued on Mr. McDonough's challenges. The Court decided that the traversers had the right to challenge in the usual way, a certain number of jurors, but the counsel for the traversers dinot take advantage of this decision to obstruct the course of the trial.

A jury was impanelled after much difficulty, the process occupying two hours. The jury counsists of cight Catholies, three Protestants, and one Quaker.

The Attorney-General then opened the case for the Grown in a firm but moderate tone. He said that the object of the conspiracy in which the traversers were engageness was to chuse the social excommunication of a number of persons.

the traversers were engagest was to cause the social excommunication of a number of persons, and to make their lives not worth the having. He pointed out the absurdity of the idea of parcelling out freland among a population of five millions, which would only add to the misery of the unfortunate country. He severely condemned the policy of the Land League, which, he said, advocated freedom, yet brought all its power to bear in the co-rection of private individuals. The Government, he said, were bound to fastive present one in the document of the works.

agitation.

A great crowd cheered the traversers on the adjournment of the Court.

The Crown is represented by the Attorney-General, the Solicitor-General, Sergeant Heron. Messrs. Naish, Q. C.: Ross, Q. C.: Murphy, Q. C., and Porter, Q. C., assisted by Mr. Constantine Malloy, who has the reputation of being one of the ablest crimina: lawyers of the Irish bar. The array of counsel for the defence includes the names of Messrs. Francis Macdonouch, Q. C.: Samuel Walker, Q. C.: W. McLamchin, Q. C., and Peter O'Brien, Q. C. assisted by Messrs. Corran, Nolan, Adams, Dillon, and A. M. Sullivan, member of Farliament for Louth County.

LONDON, Dec. 28.—At the meeting of Home Rule members of P-rilament held in Dublin pesterday, resolutions were passed as follows, in addition to those already announced:

That union among the Irish members of Parliament is considered essential that a large discretion must be caltered on the Parliamentary Committee, to which the members present pleafer themselves to submit.

That any attempt in Parliament to pass a coercion bill shall be resisted to the utmost by every means in their power. Marion.

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It was said during the meeting that no English or Scotch bill would be allowed to be proceeded with until the arrears of Irish legislation are wiped off.

A deputation of the cornoration of Dublin has met Mr. Forster, Chief Secretary of Ireland, and urged that the Government introduce a bill in Parliament to assimilate the franchises of Ireland to those of England. Mr. Forster said the Government intended that the borough franchise be made alike in the two countries, but that it would be as well not to meddle with the county franchise at present, as they were looking forward to a change in the English and Scotch County Iranchise, and perhaps the Irish franchise would be dealt with at the same time.

The Government, he said, were of opinion that the nunleipal franchise ought to be similar to that of England, but they could not promise to deal with the mater immediately, as other Irish business was very pressing.

CLONDEL, Dec. 28.—A policeman has been dangerously wounded by a shot from behind a hedge, near Coronghymite, County Tipperary.

DUBLIN, Dec. 28.—Many members of Parliament have arrived in this city to strend the State trials. The garrison was closely confined to barracks to-day. A strong force of police guarded the approaches to the Four Courts, At a meeting of the Land League to-day; twas decided to mention the prohibition of the torchlight procession in Kildare in Parliament. decided to mention the prohibition of the torch-light procession in Kildars in Parliament.

The police force at the various stations in the County Clars will be increased, in order to pro-vide greater surveillance by night patrols and to protect Boycotted persons.

Seven hundred members of the magisterial executive of Ireland recently sent Mr. Glad-sions a memorial declaring that the state of

awlessness existing in the country requires the numediate attention of the Government. Mr Gadstone has replied that Parliament will des

London, Dad. 28.—The Rev. Canon Fleming. Tector of Bullinskill, County Galway, has been fred at near his home, but was not hurt.

The organization of the Land League in Ireland was caused by the discontent among the peasantry, who, threatened with famine after the bad season and short harvest of 1878, aginted the non-payment of rent. The demand for a reduction of rent was by many recognized as just, and hundreds of landlords remitted large percentages of their rental. Although such concessions were received withkratitude, it was soon perceived that the time was favorable for forcing the landlords to grant further a catemost and urging the Government to russ for ward exceptional measures of reduction of the time of the country. The means for maintaining the Government to russ for the country. The means for maintaining the Government to russ for of the country. The means for maintaining the artist of the country. The means for maintaining the agriculture of the country. The means for maintaining the agriculture of the country. The means for maintaining the artist of the country. The artist and the artist section, encouraged by the success of the living party in Parliament was aroused, and the artive section, encouraged by the success of the obstruction tactics, decided to adopt the course of action styled by Mr. Butt as "the policy of exasporation." In Adults, 1879, at a meeting of tenant farmers in Dublin, a plan was proposed for consolidating the larners. The first suggested he constitution of the Land League. Mr. Parnell was passed at the head of the activating party and the addresses worked the artistating party and the addresses worked the excitement of the people up to a high point, and in October, 1879, the cry for organization of the Agriculture of the point of the point of the country for the point of the country of the proposed for consolidating the transfer of the head of the agriculture of the point of the country of t

were to include 200 speeches, the testimony of 850 witnesses, and various newspaper articles, and it was finally decided that a jury should be selected, so as to insure a trial before the Cent of the Queen's Bench in Dublin. On the 31 of November Mr. Parnell and his colleagues were served with the subpoens summoning them to appear. The bill of nexticulars was granted on the 15th, and on the 26th the Attorney-General moved for the fixing of the date for the trials, and the Court agreed to set them down for the 28th of December. On the 3d inst, an application was made for the postconement of the trials of Mr. Parnell and others, who are members of Parliament, but it was denied. Chief Justice May, in deciding on the application, gave a scathing rebuke to Mr. Parnell. He said that for several months the country had been in a state of anarchy; that a large portion of the proble, instigated by the Land League, had pravitsed a system of distonesty, and that, owing to unauthorized conspiracy, the people, instigated by the Land League, had pravitsed a system of distonesty, and that, owing to unauthorized conspiracy, the people were so terrified that they were afraid to assert their rights. If Mr. Parnell had to complain of anything it was of himself and his associates, the had endended position in regard to his Parliamentary duties.

GEN. KEARNY'S STATUR.

With the mercury fallen below 20°, s strong wind blowing, and hardly a ray of sunshine breaking through the clouds, Newark was yesterday in holiday dress, The occasion was the unveiling of the Kearny monument in Military Park. In the afternoon the streets from all parts of the State were present. Military men, State officials, members of the Legislature, Judges, and Congressmen were among the visitors. Gen. Grant was the guest of ex-

the visitors. Gen. Grant was the guest of exSenstor Frelinghuysen. Gen. Sherman was
entertained by Mr. William A. Righter. Gov.
McCleilan was Col. E. H. Wright's guest.
The exercises of the day consisted of a parade, the unwelling of the statue, followed by
an oration by Mr. Cortlandt Parker, and a collation in Standard Hail. The statue stands in
a conspicuous place in the lower part of Miltary Park, the city's old training ground. It
was designed in 1868 by Henry Brown of Newburgh, and was then ast in brass from old cannon. It was included to be New Jersey's representative in the National Hail of Statuary in
Washington, but was never excited there, and
for years stood in the corridor of the State Capital at Trenton. Last winter the Legislatures
gave it to the Kenray Monument Association
for exection in Newark, the home of Gen.
Kearny from his childhood, It has been set
on a bronze tedestal, on the front of which is
the inscription:

Philip Kerrey, Najor General U. & Volunteers. Born
Jens 2 (1988).

On the opposite side are the words:

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Erected by the authority of the State of New Jersey, 1880.

Beneath the pedestal is a large Quincy granite block, and the whole stands in the centre of a star-shaped redoubt, twenty feet wide and two feet high. Sod will be laid between the base of the monument and the outside of the redoubt. The top of the statue is about fifteen feet above the ground. As it is only of life size, a frequent comment heard yesterday was that there was too much pedestal for such a small statue. Starting at 2% o'clock, the procession passed through Broad and other streets, and at 4 o'clock entered the Park. A colored man attempted to get up into a tree as Mr. Parker began his oration. The man was seized by one leg, but could not be pulled to the ground. Then some one had hold of the other leg. He still clung to the trunk of the tree, and it was a trial of strength between him and the two men below. Hoars of laughter arose from the platform and the multitude on the ground, and the orator could not proceed until the man dropped from the tree, Gens. Grant and Sherman bowed to the throng in response to cheering, and then left the platform before the exercises were begun. Gov. McClellan did not show himself. At 4% o'clock the national flags which had wrapped the statue were removed, and the figure of the one-armed devil." as the rabels called Kearny, was seen standing creet with his sword before him, the point resting near his feet. The throng cheered, the military presented arms, and a salute was fred from a field piece. Mr. Parker then delivered his oration, after which the shivering listeners dispersed. Last evening an electric light was glowing in front of the statue. e statue. Gen. Sherman was the only one of the distin-Gen. Sherman was the only one of the distinguished Generals present at the collation. He made a speech. He said he did not know Kenrny personally, but heard of him after the Mexican war as a daring soldier, who, in many points, was an example for the young. Speaking of the army, Gen. Sherman said he was proud of it. He wanted the officers to be gentlemen, not too good in the way of piety, but moral men and good lighters.

An amusing incident occurred when the crowd was leaving the park. Several persons took Mr. Joseph E. Haynes, principal of the Morton street public school, for Grant, and soon a large crowd followed him along Broad street. In vain did he say that he was not Grant. The crowd followed him until he took refugo in Ingalis & Co.'s store, at Academy street. Then the people blocked up the sidewalk in front of the store.

Two of the Gang Led by Billy the Kid Killed

LAS VEGAS, N. M., Dec. 28 .- The notorious gang of outlaws, composed of about twentyave men, who, under the leadership of "Billi the Kid." have for the past six months overrun eastern New Mexico, murdering and committing other deeds of outlawry, was broken up last Saturday morning by the killing of two and the capturing of four others, including the leader. The prisoners were lodged in Las Vegas jail, and lynching was prevented by the vigilance of the captors, Deputy Sheriff Garrett wigiliance of the captors, Deputy Sheriff Garrett and others. Yesterday forenoon Garrett and the other captors boarded a train with the prisoners for the purpose of taking them to Santa Fé, Sheriff Romero remonstrated against taking one of the prisoners named Rudabaugh, who had killed a Las Vegas deputy sheriff, to Santa Fé, but to no effect. He then went to the depot with a posse of 300 men and made a formal demand for the prisoners, but was fold if he wanted the prisoners to take them. The Sheriff then stationed men at the engine to cover the engineer, and the rest of the posse crowled about the train, the platforms of which were filled with additional guards pressed into service by Garrett, and nearly every window of the cars served as a port hole for rifles. Somebody suggested to take the prisoners. Stewart, of Garrett's party, said the instant the first shot was fired he would free every man and arm him. For a while a fight seemed imminent, when Chief Engineer Robinson appeared and demanded that the train be allowed to proceed and the master of transportation said if the train was not allowed to proceed he would arm all the railroad men and take it out. Detective J. F. Morley of the Post Office Department, immode into the cab with a pair of six shooters and told the engineer to leap out. The conference had just concluded a compromise by which it was agreed that the Sheriff and two men should go to Santa Fé with the party, and if the Governor agreed, to bring Rudabaugh back to Las Vegas. The train then proceeded. DENVER, Dec. 28.—A despatch to the Tribuse from Santa Fé says: "Very serious disturbance refused to arrest the murderer of Conkling, the editor of the Socorro Sur. and the citizens finding no remedy in the law, have arrested and hold by force the Sheriff and four others, including the murderer of Conkling. A rescue of the prisoners is threatened and bloodslied is imminent. A request has been made to the military commander of the district for troops, and although troops cannot be used as a posse com and others. Yesterday forenoon Garrett and the other captors boarded a train with the

Monday's issue of THE Sun contained a de-tailed account of the war against the Las Por-tales gang of desperadoes, which has long been the terror of southern New Mexico. The rob-beries and murders of the gang were so nuthe terror of southern New Mexico. The robberies and murders of the gang were so numerous that its extinction was necessary to the
development of the grazing interests of that
section. Three bodies of rangers were equipped
to hunt the outhaws down at any cost or trouble.
The leader of the outhaws. William Bonney, derived his alias of "the Kid" from his youthfulness, his age being hardly more than 20 years.
He is a native of this State, but his parents removed to Arizona while he was achid. A dead
anot, a splendid rider, reckless of danger, and
callous to bloodshed, he was notorious for his
crimes and audacious exploits. Dave Rudabaugh, another of the captured outlaws, is said
to have been a native of this city up to within
oight years ago, since when he has been a fronlier desperado against whose account there are
many murders and other crimes.

Congress Election in New Hampshire. CONCORD, N. H., Dec. 28 .- A special Congresconcors, N. H., Dec. 29.—A special congressional election in the Third District to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the Hon. Everts W Farr was held to-day. The returns are not complete as yet. Forty-one towns, including the principal ones, give the Hon. Osalan Ray (Republican) 7.001, and Hosley (Democrati 3.763.

ALLENTOWN, Pa., Dec. 28.-District Attorney Anstell has issued warrants for the arrest of all who par-ticipated actively in the lynching of Joseph Snyder, who murdered the Google couple on Monday morning, its says he will do his duty fully, but fears that no jury can be found willing to convice.

THE DIVIDED PARK BOARD

MR. GREEN AND MR. CONOVER AGAINST MR. LANE AND MR. WALES.

Mr. Lane's Patientes for the Coming Year Disapproved by One-Half the Commission ers-Mr. Green's Allusions to Extravigance The Park Commissioners met again yesterday, with Mr. Green in the chair. Mr. Lane presented the departmental estimates, with the information which, he said, was required by the Board of Apportionment to explain them. He gave reasons for adopting the estimates as

ment and passed by the Board of Aldermen. Mr. Green-I think it would be well to add to that the reasons why the parks are in such a dreadful condition. Why is it that all these works are in such a wretched state? What influences have been at work? What political influences, what hall, if any, has controlled this work to produce this state of things?

Mr. Lane-I do not propose to make a buncombs speech, or to talk to the reporters. I propose to do business.

Mr. Green-You made your nuncombs speech

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Mr. Lane—One reason why the works are in a bad condition is that the appropriations have been too small.

Mr. Green—And the money that has been approprinted hose been wasted.

Mr. Lane—The appropriations have been entirely too small. To repair the pavements of Central Park properly would cost \$500,000 and we only ask \$100,000.

Mr. Wales—The reason that some of these pavements need repair is that improper gravel was used in dressing them. The upper division appears to be in good condition.

Mr. Green—That's the point. The fact is the money has been most wastefully expended by reason of the incompetence of the men chosen to supervise the work. These incompetent men have been largely put there by Tammany Hall.

Mr. Lane—There have not been any walks not down since Mr. Green was a Commissioner befor—since Mr. Green was here voting with Peter B. Sweeny for this very work.

Mr. Green—It is true I was here with Mr. Sweeny, and I am also here with Mr. Lane now, but it is not with my desire or consent, and I am not voting with him.

Mr. Lane—There has not been any pavement labit since the original gravel walk was laid, and Mr. Green and Mr. Sweeny voted together here. There has not been any pavement labit since the original gravel walk was laid, and Mr. Green—I would rather have the records

Mr. Green-We were to have the report this Mr. Wales—I shall not be ready until to-mor-

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After further discussion it became evident that the Board could not acree to authorize the estimate presented by Mr. Lane to be sent to the Board of Apportionment. Mr. Green suggested that Mr. Lane should present the estimate on his own responsibility. Mr. Conover made some remarks Mr. Conover casually mentioned that Mr. Lane was "a fit, and proper person to present such estimates." Mr. Wales seized upon the expression of confidence in Mr. Lane and tried to get Mr. Conover and the Board to incorporate it as an amendment. Mr. Conover destined to approve Mr. Lane in that formal way. Mr. Green, however, was willing to adopt the amendment. He laid satirical emphasis on the words such estimates," implying the extravagance of the estimates. In the course of the discussion Mr. Wales got several reminders to address the Chair. Mr. Wales replied that although he might look the other way he wished to be understood as always addressing the Chair. It was not always pleasing to him to look the Chairman in the year. He hoped the Chair way leasing to him if his eye wandered about a little. After further acrimonious remarks resolutions were adopted authorizing either Commissioner to go to the Board of Apportionment and give his individual ideas of the amount necessary to be expended for the Park Department during the coming year. The Board will not present any official estimates other than those air-ady submitted. After the disposal of this matter several attempts were made to dispose of other business, but no agreement courted to the Board of Apportionment and give his individual ideas of the amount necessary to be expended for the Park Department during the coming year. The Board will not present any official estimates other than those air-ady submitted. After the disposal of this matter several attempts were made to dispose of other business, but no agreement could be reached. Mr. Green offered his customary resolution for the discharge of employees, which was lost by the cus

THE OKLAHOMA COLONISTS.

Ordered to Hold Themselves Ready to Mov-nt a Moment's Notice.

CALDWELL, Kan., Dec. 28 .- We are having the coldest weather ever known in Kansas. About one hundred colonists remain in camp They are, no doubt, making preparations for some strategic movement as soon as the weather will permit. The following circular

[Secret and confidential.]

The Monday of the Program (Mathematic Hard)

For the time being we have been stopped on our way to the public lands. The army would have no right to be held themserves in resulting.

remove as. This is to nodify all members of the colony to bold themseves in resulties to move at a mineral notice to such a point in the Torritory as may be fixed upon, where we can concentrate at least 5,000 people. You will go in secretly, and no one will be intermed except members. These lands are ours, and we want them before planning time. Take possession of them.

The leaders of the colony are in correspondence with the leading colored men of the country, and committees of the exodus at St. Louis, Kansas City. Topska, and elsewhere. They say they have over 500 freedmen members of the colony; that under the terms of treaties these freedmen have a right to settle on these lands. They will also ask that arrangements be made to settle the exodus people on those lands.

LONBON, Dec. 28.-Only 300 of the Sixth Dragoons, with 300 horses, can be shipped aboard the National line steamship The Queen, which has been chartered to carry troops to South Africa. The rest of the regiment, numbering 200, with a battery of artillery, the regiment, numbering 200, with a battery of artillery, will be sent in two other transports. The troop ship Euphrates will take from Hominey for Natal, double from the Fitheenth Regiment of Hussars and a battery of artillery, without horses, and also the Sixty-fifth Regiment of Foot.

An official despatch from Pietermaritzburg says: "The attack of the Boerson the Potthefatroom camp lasted throughout Sunday. The British loss was slight. The Boers have sized Utrecht."

London, Dec. 22 -The Shondard's Durhan despatch says the first shot of the war was fired at Potthefatroom on a hody of Roers who were approaching the British camp. Pottlefatroom is now in the hands of \$100 Boers. There are \$1,000 Boers at Heidelberg.

The Signal Office Prediction.

Generally colder and threatening weather, suit anow, northeast to northwest winds, and talling, ollowed by rising barometer.

Mayor Cooper called the Board of Apportionment to order in his office yesterday afternoon at 3% o'clock. The Board is now composed of the Mayor, Comptroller Allan Campbell, President of the Beard of Aldermen John Morris: and President of the Tax Commission Henry E. Howland. There were present Park Commissioners Salem H. Wales, Smith E. Lane, and Andrew H. Green. Commissioner Conover sent his excuses. A fight was expected over the appropriation for this department, and several rentlemen came to look on. Among these were Cyrus Clark, who owns property along Riverowner up town; ex-Collector Hiram Barney, Alderman-elect Wells of the Twenty-third Ward, ex-Senator Cauldwell, John H. Strahan, Hugh Auchincloss, and Gen. Di Cesnola. Commissioner Lane took his seat beside the Mayor, by the request of the latter, and took from his pocketa bundle of papers, "First," said he, "I want to present this communication to the Board."

And he, "I wint to present this communication to the Board."

City of hew York, Department of Perkie Parks, 1 Bt Union Square, Dec. 1988.

To the Board of Educate and Appointment of Green and to Fubble Parks held this day.

Resolved, That Commissioner Lame to permitted to take to the Board of Schimate and Apportuniment the paper he has this day read before the Board, and in that action him Board does not commit their to the paper as presented by Commissioner as a said that in the isognates of Commissioner Lame is a thend proper person to present and said and appropriation to present such statements. Begievettily.

E. P. Barkers, Secretary, D. P. P.

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and which I never saw until he produced it nere."

Mr. Green went away after remarking that he had been told that Mr. Lene's fleures had been calculated on the month of July, 1880, as a basis. Commissioner Salem H. Wales then made a long address to the Board, in which he said that the Board of Appertionment must take the entire responsibility of making the estimates, as he was convinced that no agreement would ever be arrived at in the Park Department. The gross amount asked for had struck him unfavorably, but he was not prepared to say, after looking into several of the items, that it was too much. Mr. Wales thought that, at though Mr. Green had the right to withhold all knowledge of his paper from his colleagues until he presented it to the Board of Apportionment, yet it was not, he submitted, a proper way in which to assist in conducting the affairs of a department.

At noon to-day the Police Commissioners will appear before the Board of Apportionment, and it 3 o'clock the Park Commissioners are invited to appear again.

COLD WEATHER IN NEW YORK. But Colder by Far in the Northwest and the

Lake Region. New York went to bed on Monday night in the slush, and awoke yesterday morning on ice. About midnight it began to grow colder, and by daybreak it was good, sharp winter weather. At 7 o'clock the thermometer of the Signal Ser-At 7 o clock the thermometer of the Signal Service station on the Equitable Building Indicated a temperature of 21° above zero, 8° colder than it was twenty-four hours before. At 11 o'clock it had fallen to 17° above zero, and by 3 in the alternoon it was 10° above zero. It grew steadily colder toward evening. The snow and dirthat filled many of the down-town stree a became like sand, dry and yielding, and very hard on the horses that waded wearily through it. Some of the streets, particularly Broadway, were protty clean. Capt. Williams put his entire force of men at work in Brandway. Fifth avenue, Fulton, Twenty-third, Thirty-fourth, Forty-second, and other principal streets. A force of more than 1,000 men and 700 carts worked from 5 o'clock on Monday evening.

The cold weather was very welcome to two classes of citizens—skaters and sleigh riders. The roads far up town were covered with horses and sleighs, for there was snow enough left after the thaw of Monday to make pretty good sleighing. The prospects of better sleighing were good late last night, when a fine snow was driving down from the northweat with the cold winds.

The signal service men say that the cold wave vice station on the Equitable Building Indicated

was driving down from the northwest with the cold winds.

The signal service men say that the cold wave is coming fast, and is likely to remain some time. It seems to have enveloped a considerable area of country, and reports of weather from Maine to Minnesots, and from Nortaska to Missouri, show unusually cold weather. Albany had much the same weather that we had vesterday. In Alpena, Mich, the mercury was 5° below zero; at Buffalo, 5° above; at Cheyanne, 12° below; at Chicago, 9° below, and Duluth 30 degrees below zero. But there were colder piaces than Duluth. At Fort Garry it was 41 degrees below zero. St. Paul suffered with 25 below; Milwankes, 19; La Crosse, 20; Detroit, 3; St. Louis, 4; Indianapolis, 4; Madison, Miss., 12; Marquette, 12; and Omaha, 10 degrees below zero.

The temperature in this city vesterday, as indicated by the thermometer at Hudnut's pharmacy was; 3 A. M., 27°; 6 A. M., 23°; 9 A. M., 18°; 12 M., 18°; 3:30 P. M., 18°; 6 P. M., 16°; 9 P. M., 16°; 9 P. M., 16°; 5 P. M., 16°;

on the Spathern Vinciand Railroad was snow bound in a on the Shelhern Vinciand Mairroad was snow bound in a drift near Borgeatown for sixteen hours. While sflorts were being made to dig the train out the passengers musteen in number, were provided with food by the rail road company. At late hour last their the passengers were taken out of the drift on a lagonitous, the train being abandoned.

LONDON, Dec. 28. -Gale, the pedestrian, broke LONDON, Dec. 28.—Gale, the pedestrian, brake down this morning at about 5 o'clock, having coverad 2,233 miles of his proposed fort. He started on Nov. 20 at Lulie Bridge, undertaking to walk 2,500 miles within 1,000 hours. At the start he walked at the rate of a mile and a quarter every half hour.

The Boston Walking Match. BOSTON, Dec. 28.—The scores at midnight in the 130 hours go as you please waiting match were as fol-lows: Lacouse, 158; Fitzgerald, 158; Pegram, 187; Wil-mot, 123.

TWO ESTIMATES FOR THE PARKS. TWO UNLUCKY STEAMSHIPS.

THE PERSIAN MONARCH RETURNS TO NEW YORK LEAKING BADLY.

her and her Slater Ship, the Amyrian Menarch-The Narrative of the Captain, The steamship Persian Monarch, the ploneer vessel of the new Monarch line, consisting of six four-masted steamships designed principally for freight traffic between London and New York, salled from her dock, near the Jersey side of the Pavonia Ferry, on the 23d inst. Her sister stemmship, the Assyrian Monarch, sailed from the same dock on Christmas morning, two days later. Yesterday morning both steamships were sighted off the Highlands. They came to anchor side by side off the bar. The Persian Monarch had sprung a leak in midocean, and the Assyrian Monarch, luckily falling in with her, had accompanied her back o port.

The Persian Monarch has been an unlucky

The Porsian Monarch has been an unlustry vessel from the beginning, althouch apparently stanch and sound. She was built at Dumbarton, on the Olynde, and is of steel. She is off. 3.516 tons burden, is 900 feet long, 41 feet beam, and 23% feet down. The unremmest of her four cattle on the deek helow. The steamship has seven water-light builtheads, her group has been as well as the property of the steamship has seven water-light builtheads, her group has been as well as the bind are iron binn for carrying grain in built, and are iron binn for carrying grain in built, and are iron binn for carrying grain in built, and are iron binn for carrying grain in built, and the water built of the limit, and the water built of the limit, and programs was slow, Galesof wind, with sitest and snow from the seven was slow, Galesof wind, with sitest and the standard was seven with standard was seven with standard vessel from the beginning, although apparently stanch and sound. She was built at Dumbarton, on the Civde, and is of steel. She is of 3,316

New York on Friday last sha had a cargo of general merchandise, besides 271 head of cattle tor the London market. She carried no passengers.

The agents of the Monarch line, at 6 Bowling Green, Messrs. Patton, Vickers & Co., learned of the accident to the Persian Monerch about 9 A. M., and in less than an hour Mr. Babcock, one of the agents, was on his way to Sandy Hook in a tug. Shortly before noon, and before the agent reached the vessels, the Assyrian Monarch again started on her way to London, leaving the Persian Monarch just outside of the bar. Capt. Dunscomb said that as soon as the leak was discovered he had the stramship headed for New York, as he did not think it safe to risk the passage, although the leak was not immediately dangerous. The Assyrian Monarch bad accompanied the unfortunate vessel back in order to give assistance in case the leak became uncontrollable. Shortly after 4 f. M. the Persian Monarch stoamed across the bar, and a little more than three hours later she came to anchor in the bay near Bedioc's Island. To-day her cargo will probably be discharged, and she will be taken to the dry dock for thorough repairs.

The Assyrian Monarch has also been unlucky. She is similar in build to the Persian Monarch, but is somewhat smaller. She was built in Earle's shipyard in Huil, and started from Huil on Oct. 28 for New York. Heavy seas and westerly gales impeded her. When half way across the ocean she lost two blades of her propeller, but continued on her course with the other two blades. A sailor was thrown to the deck while he with others was ree-fing a foretopsail and was seriously injured. One of the topsail yards was carried away and the boatswain was jammed between two spars and badly hurt. A lew days afterward the remaining blades of the screw were broken off, and Capt. Weethorpe had to rely on the sails. The vessel could not make headway in the face of the winds. Two vessels were spoken, but they relused to tow her to port. Then the Assyrian Monarch was put about and the passage to New Yo

FOR IKELAND'S RELIEF.

trai Parnell Land League Meeting. A semi-monthly meeting of the Central Parnell Land League was held last evening at

Mott Memorial Hall, in Madison avenue. A

number of new members were received. A committee appointed recently to solicit aid for the League reported receipts of \$1,051 in A committee appointed recently to solicit aid for the League reported receipts of \$1,051 in this city, and about \$1,000 from Oswego, Omaha, and Mobile. This money was forwarded at once to Ireland.

The choosing of delegates to a National Convention to be held in Buffalo on the 12th of January excited animated debate. This Convention has been called by Father Welsh of Connecticut, the Treasurer of the national organization. Since the unexplained disappearance of President Cafferty, Father Welsh has assumed the functions of that office as well as of Secretary and Treasurer. He has grown weary of the accumulated duties, and called the Convention for relief and reorganization. It was urged that the constitution originally adopted by the League was no longer binding, as both Father Welsh and officers of branch Leagues had repeatedly disregarded its provisions. It was urged by some members that delegates should be sent to see whether a new constitution could not be framed, and the national organization recatablished. Others thought that a national organization recatablished. Others thought that a national organization was not needed, and that a convention would use up much money that ought to be sent directly to freiand. They favored ignoring the whole matter. It was flually decided to direct the Chairman of the Central League, M. D. Gallagher, to confer with Father Walsh concerning the Convention, and learn whether one or two delegates might not be sent from this city to represent the Central League and all the branches, thus saving much expense.

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Internal revenue receips to-day, \$196,493; customs, \$448,339.
The Treasury Denartment has directed the transfer of \$3,999,500 in gold bullion from the Assay Office in New York to the Philadelphia Mint for coinage into eagles and half eagles. After this transfer there will still remain in the New York Assay Office about \$63,000,000 in gold bullion, more than enough to keep the Philadelphia Mint employed for six months in coining gold exclusively.
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It is thought at the Treasury Department that the debt statement for December, which will be issued on Monday. Jan. 3, will show a reduction of about \$3,609,000. During this month about \$4,000,000 have been paid out on account of pensions.

The Leather Manufacturers' Bank has declared a dividend of 5 % cent., payable Jan. 3.

Mr. P. B. Gewen writes to the London Times as follows: "Even if the very large vote commanded by the McCalmonts were cast against the present Beading management, it could accomplish no change. The very influential American committee has unanimously recommended the redicction of the present management, and its rediction is certain. The election will be postponed until after the 10th of January, to enable me to vote on the proxies I hold. Deferred income bonds will be issued in a few days."

Negotiations are pending and will probably be soon completed for the purchase by a party of Cincinnati capitalists, among whom are Charles W. West and M. E. ligails, of the Kentucky Central Bairoad. The plan is to build a road to connect this road with the Kaoxville and Ohio road, and by combinations with existing roads to make a through line from the northwest to the scaboard, It will be independent of the Louisville and Nashville road.

The directors of the Hannibal and St. Joseph Bailroad Company declared to-day a dividend

pendent of the Louisville and Nashville road.

The directors of the Hannibal and St. Joseph Railroad Company declared to-day a dividend of 35 % cent. on the preferred stock, parable Feb. 1. 1881. The statement of the operations of the company for the year ending Dec. 31. 1880, the present month partly estimated continua the following figures: Gross sernings, \$2.574, 349; operating expenses, \$1.327.872; and construction and equipment, \$139.464; a total of \$1.467,336, icaving net earnings of \$1.107,013; out of which there has been paid fixed charges \$654,640, and a 3 % cent. dividend Aug. 2. 1880, amounting to \$152,490. The dividend declared to-day will reduce the net theome secount by \$177,905 to \$121,978, which, with \$63.505 proceeds from free lands, makes a balance on hand of \$185,483.

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The books for subscriptions to the securities of the Mexican National Railway Company were opened to-day by Messra. Weerisheffer & Co., 54 Exchange place. The amount of sach day a subscription is withheld until the books are closed, but the agents report that the subscriptions received to-day, which included large orders from Boston and Philadelphia, were satisfactory in the agencycate.

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New York Markets.

TUESDAY, Deg. 28.—FLOUR AND MEAL—The markst has been much devicemed in the past week, but the close is stander, and the flour market was to-day miderately 200-200. In the past week, but the close is stander, and the flour market was to-day miderately 200-200. In the past of the pas

Southern shipping extras, \$1.850\$6.25, Rye Sour-Superine, \$0.150\$6.50, Corn meal-Western, \$a., \$2.75\$8.20; Brandywine, \$5.05, Wheat lead, \$0.20; Brandywine, \$5.05, Wheat lead, \$0.20; Brandywine, \$5.05, Wheat lead, \$0.20; Brandywine, \$1.050, Wheat lead, \$0.20; Brandywine, \$1.050, Wheat lead, \$0.20; Brandywine, \$1.050, Wheat lead, \$1.050, Brandywine, \$1.050, Wheat lead, \$1.050, Wheat l

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Live Stock Market. NEW YORK. Tuesday, Dec. 28.—Including late arrivals last oibit, the fresh offerings of theeves were 116 car leads, or 1.850 head, calling out an uncommon representation of the simulturing trade for a Tuesday, and making an active and firm market at full prices. Experters used 40 car leads; bear leads went direct to city slaughterers from the core, and remainder of simply changed hands at 38,5213 for \$10,000 carcoses of mutten.

Only 2 car leads, or 320 sheep, arrived this morning, but about 20 car leads, or 320 sheep, arrived this morning, but about 20 car leads were on sale, for which the demand was fair at about current rates of vesterday. From the prime sheep sold at 45,5315,000 for the cart of \$10,000 for the current rates of vesterday. From the prime sheep sold at 45,5315,000 for extra do at 55,500 for current states of vesterday. The first sheep at \$10,000 for the carton at \$10,000 for the current states of vesterday. The first sheep at \$10,000 for the carton at \$10,000 for the current states of vesterday. The first sheep at \$10,000 for the carton at \$10,000 for the current states of vesterday. The first sheep at \$10,000 for the carton at \$10,000 for the current states of vesterday. The first sheep at \$10,000 for the current states of vesterday. The first sheep at \$10,000 for the current states of vesterday. The first sheep at \$10,000 for the current states of vesterday.

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M. D., to Emma, daughter of the Rev. George W. Samson, D. D.
FULLER—MORROW—Dec. 27, by the Rev. Henry
Ward Secheter, Mr. Frank H. Philler of New York to Miss
Jennie B. Marrow of Philadelphia.
HOGOSIT—FIILLIPS—On Wednesday, Dec. 22, at
the resistence of the bride's parents, by the Rev. Wellesley W. Bowdish, George A. Hogosit to Mary Jane, daughter at John I. Ithings, all of Sec. Tork of Adagsater at John I. Ithings, all of Sec. Tork of Adagsater at John I. Ithings, all of Sec. 100 Med.
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Rev. Haisey W. Khapp, Howard Selleck of New York to
Sarai Sander of Calascili.
WARD—SIENCER—On Thursday, Dec. 23, at the
residence of the Bride's uncle, O. I. Cozzens, Yonkers,
N.Y. by the Rev. James Houghbon, the Rev. Charles W.
Ward to Katharine B. Spencer.

CHAPIN.—On Sunday Dec. 26, the Rev. E. H. Chapin, naster of Fourth Universalist Society, in the 66th year of Internal services at the Church of the Divine Pater-may, conter of 45th at and 5th av., on Thursday morn-may, conter of 45th at and 5th av., on Thursday mornins are.
Funeral services at the Church of the Divine Patermity, corner of 45th at and 5th av., on Thursday morning, at 11 o'clock.
COURRANE.—Of apoplexy, at his late residence, 66 West 10th at, James Cochrane, in the 71st year of his age.
Notice of funeral bereatter.
FLOOD.—On Tuesday, Dec. 28, of a long and painful liness, Ann Lynacti, the beloved wise of Francis Flood, native of County Westmeth, Iroland, aged 31 years and Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the Emeral from ther late residence, 190 Neverson. S., Brooklyn, on Thursday, Dec. 39, at 9 A. M. Her remains with be taken to 81 Patrick's Church, Kont av., where a request mass will be offered for the repose of her soul. Interment in Calvary Centerey.
GRAINIER.—Dec. 27, Linzie E., only daughter of Charles M and Clara E. Grainger, aged 14 years and months.
Funeral from the residence of her parents. 204 East Broadway, this Wednesday P. N., at 2 o'clock.
McMalle.—On the 27, Mary E. McMalle, wife of James McMalle. a native of the County Westmeath, Ireland, Patrick of the County Residence, 18 Quay at, Greenpoint, Broaklyn, on Wednesday, Dec. 29, at 2 o'clock P. M. Stamford papers please copy.

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